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Drug Analysis Laboratory Monthly Status Report

June, 2010

Amherst and Jamaica Plain (combined)

Cases* submitted to the laboratories this month.....1041

Number of items* contained in these cases.....1818

Cases analyzed by the laboratories this month.....1952

Number of items analyzed this month.....3308

Laboratories' backlog (Items)..... 5557

Average time per analysis (turnaround time)..... 125 days

Number of preliminary/priority analyses performed..... 140

Analysis Backlog

Unanalyzed items in the laboratory on the last day of the month

1-15 days old	908	16%
16-30 days old	685	12%
31-50 days old	700	13%
Greater than 50 days	3264	59%
TOTAL	5557	100%

* A CASE refers to all the evidence gathered from an incident or arrest that is related to one or more defendants. Each case may contain one or more ITEMS of different appearance and/or composition, e.g. marijuana, cocaine, heroin.

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Analysis Profile

Time in the laboratory for items analyzed this month

1-15 days	72	2%
16-30 days	566	17%
31-50 days	66	2%
Greater than 50 days	2604	79%
TOTAL	3308	100%

Totals for Drugs of Interest

Drug Type	Number of Items
Marijuana	631
Cocaine	742
Heroin	459
Others	1476
TOTAL	3308

Trafficking Items Analyzed

Drug Type	Number of Items
Heroin	12
Cocaine	22
Oxycodone	21
TOTAL	55

Calendar Year (2010) Totals through the End of the Month

Items Submitted	10853
Items Analyzed	15654